

## IV. Remarks.

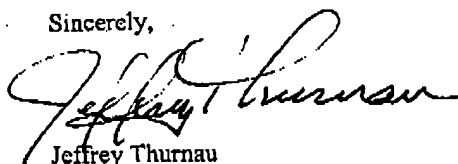
The Examiner suggested an amendment to a limitation in claim 1 which he believed would put the application in condition for allowance. Claim 1 has been amended accordingly.

## V. Fees.

Any fees payable for this amendment and IDS may be deducted from deposit account 07-0475 in the name of the Gates Corporation.

Thank you for your attention to this case. If any questions arise, please call at the number below.

Sincerely,



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